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| FILING DATE: | February 11, 2002     | ) | DATE:     | March 28, 2002 |
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| FOR:         | Carbon Fiber Binder   | ) |           |                |
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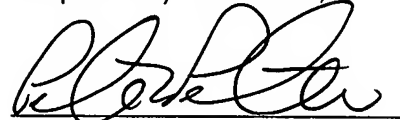
A "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers" mailed March 14, 2002 was received for the subject patent application. The application is considered informal since the drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) as required under 37 CFR 1.84(g). The Applicant was given two months from the day of the Notice to correct the informalities. Accordingly, substitute drawing sheets are required by May 14, 2002.

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified U.S. patent application are 7 substitute drawing sheets having the appropriate margins as required by the Notice.

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No new matter has been added to these substitute drawing sheets.

Respectfully submitted,



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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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